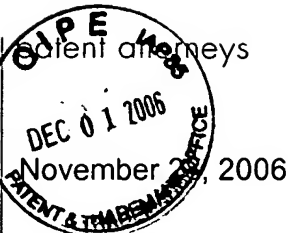


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Re: U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/070,098 for
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OF PARALLEL DATA TRANSMISSION LINKS
Your Ref. No. S1633 SB/loe; Our Ref. No. 1406/43

Sir:

Please find enclosed in connection with the subject U.S. patent application the following documents:

1. An Amendment B; and
2. A return-receipt postcard to be returned to us with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office filing stamp thereon.

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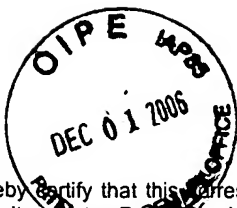
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Madam:

This is responsive to the Official Action dated September 21, 2006, for which a 3-month shortened statutory period for reply is December 21, 2006. Favorable consideration is respectfully requested in view of the following Amendments and Remarks.